

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

ALEXANDER CASTELLANO-BENITEZ,

Defendant.

4:15CR3114

ORDER

Defendant has moved to continue defendant's change of plea hearing. (Filing No. 50). As explained by counsel, the defendant needs additional time to investigate the facts before entering a plea of guilty. The motion to continue is unopposed. Based on the representations of counsel, the court finds the motion should be granted. Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED:

- 1) Defendant's motion to continue, (filing no. 50), is granted.
- 2) The defendant's plea hearing will be held before the undersigned magistrate judge on February 23, 2016 at 10:30 a.m.. The defendant is ordered to appear at this hearing.
- 3) For the reasons stated by counsel, the Court finds that the ends of justice served by continuing defendant's plea hearing outweigh the best interest of the defendant and the public in a speedy trial. Accordingly, the time between today's date and the district court judge's acceptance or rejection of the anticipated plea of guilty shall be excluded for speedy trial calculation purposes. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7).

January 19, 2016.

BY THE COURT:

s/ Cheryl R. Zwart
United States Magistrate Judge